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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed June 28, 2005, Applicants request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.